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### NOVEL USE FOR PAPER.

Employed For Making Houses, Pavements, Yachts and Guns.

In the rebuilding of the King of Korea's palace, which was recently destroyed by fire, papier mache will be solely employed. To obtain a sufficient quantity for the purpose there has been engaged a staff of 1,000 possessed of strong teeth for chewing up paper.

At Savinorosko, in Russia, is a paper house. It has been entirely built of blocks of papier mache, even the foundations and roof being made from that material. So, too, are the chimneys, although the paper used in their construction was first mingled with a fireproof material. The house, which is of considerable extent and will, in the opinion of its architect, outlast such as are built of stone and brick, cost over £8,000.

In certain towns of Russia, too, the experiment is now being made of utilizing paper for paving the roads and streets. In this case also blocks compressed to great solidity are employed, and are said to stand excellently the wear and tear of traffic. The cost, however, is at present too great to permit of anything like their universal adoption. For courtyards of mansions and similar purposes where expenses need not be of much consideration, paper pavement, it is averred, will soon come into vogue.

Out of the sheets of an Austrian daily paper an ingenious Viennese engineer has lately constructed for his own use a small yacht, fifteen feet long, decked all over, and provided with a centerboard. In the making of the hull, deck, masts, sails and rudder several thousand copies of the journal were used—each plank requiring no fewer than 2,500 leaves—and enormous pressure had to be employed before the necessary solidity could be obtained. The inventor has already made several excursions on the Woerth See, and even in squally weather his boat is said to have behaved admirably.

The late Henry Krupp completed, a few months before his death, a number of paper field pieces. These unique guns, which were made to the order of the German government, are intended for the exclusive use of the infantry. Their caliber is very small, being, indeed, less than two inches, and so light are they that a single soldier can, unaided, shoulder one with ease. Despite their small weight, however, the resistance is greater than that of a steel field piece of the same caliber.

### NEW YEAR.

The New Year's Pottion of the Sturdy Saxons of Old England.

Our immediate forbears were modest minded, hopeful folk, who believed that what was good enough for the Romans, the Saxon settlers in England and the royal Tudors was good enough for them, and New Year's eve found everybody, without regard to age, color or previous condition, drinking what in England of the earliest period was called "wassail," in Scotland and Ireland at a later day "hot pint" or "lamb's wool," and, with a slight change in recipe, came to the United States in the form of eggnog.

In old England wassail was mixed in a vast bowl, from which every one had as large or small a size as his throat could stand, and it was passed from hand to hand with the word wassail, meaning "to your health." The day before New Year's it was as well the custom for groups of pretty girls to carry a big punch bowl, bound with ribbons, through the streets, singing as they begged for the ingredients for the popular fiery punch:

Wassail, wassail, over the town;  
Our toast is white, our ale is brown;  
Our bowl is made of the maplin tree;  
We be good folks all and drink to thee.

Generous and virtuous parishoners considered it their duty to provide the wherewith for a foaming bowl of wassail to be set before the abbot in the monasteries of every shire. This plump and solemn prelate sat beside the bowl at the head of the refectory table and with a sense of humor dished out to the appreciative monks big flagons of what he called, in blessing it, "poculum caritatis," "the cup of grace."

### BY AUTHORITY.

#### Water Notice.

In accordance with Section 1 of Chapter XXIV of the laws of 1886: All persons holding water privileges or those paying water rates are hereby notified that the water rates for the term ending December 31, 1904, will be due and payable at the office of the Hilo Water Works on the 1st day of January, 1905.

All such rates remaining unpaid for fifteen days after they are due will be subject to an additional 10 per cent.

All privileges upon which rates remain unpaid February 15, 1904 (thirty days after becoming delinquent), are liable to suspension without further notice.

Rates are payable at the office of the Water Works.

W. VANNATTA,  
Superintendent Hilo Water Works.  
Hilo, December 19, 1904. 8-4

#### Pound Notice.

In accordance with the provision of Section 456, Chapter 36, of the Laws of 1897, I have this day set apart a suitable enclosure for the impounding of estrays at Honomaliho, South Kona, Island of Hawaii, said pound being situated on the makai side of the main Government road near the house lot of W. C. Achi, said pound being enclosed in by stone wall.

C. S. HOLLOWAY,  
Superintendent of Public Works.

Joseph Holi Esq., has this day been appointed Pound Master for the above mentioned pound.

C. S. HOLLOWAY,  
Superintendent of Public Works.  
Department of Public Works,  
Honolulu, Dec. 10, 1904. 8-3

#### Pipe For Hilo Sewers.

##### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, until 12 o'clock m. December 19th, 1904, for furnishing 6 in. sewer pipe, slants and bends for Hilo Sewers, Hilo, Hawaii.

Proposals must be submitted on blank forms, which will be furnished by the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, Honolulu, and G. H. Gere, Road Engineer, Hilo, Hawaii, and enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to Hon. C. S. Holloway, Superintendent of Public Works, Honolulu, T. H., endorsed "Proposal for Vitrified Sewer Pipe, Slants and Bends for Hilo Sewers, Hilo, Hawaii."

Each proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties making the same and all persons interested therein, and must be accompanied by a certified check, drawn upon a bank or trust company established in Hilo or Honolulu, for \$50.00, payable to Hon. C. S. Holloway, Superintendent of Public Works, in case the proposal is accepted and a contract is not entered into.

The pipe shall be of vitrified salt glazed stone ware of the very best quality, with hub and spigot joints, and of the specified internal diameters, lengths and thickness.

They shall be delivered on the wharf in Hilo in one consignment, and in perfect condition. Circumference of inside of pipe and specials must be a true circle. Straight pipe to be not less than 2 feet in length and standard thickness.

The bidder will state the earliest time in which he will deliver the following pipe on the wharf in Hilo, Hawaii:

1600 lin. ft. 6 in. vitrified sewer pipe.  
50 ..... 6 in. 45° slants.  
50 ..... 6 in. 1/4 bends.  
50 ..... 6 in. 1/2 bends.  
50 ..... 6 in. stoppers.

Pipe and specials will be thoroughly and carefully inspected on the wharf, and only perfect pipe, slants and bends will be accepted by the Department of Public Works.

The successful bidder, should a contract be awarded, will be required to furnish a bond of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) with sureties subject to the approval of the Superintendent of Public Works. No personal sureties will be accepted. Only Territorial Corporations or Surety Companies are to be submitted as bondsmen.

No proposal will be entertained unless made on blanks furnished by the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, or G. H. Gere, and delivered at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works previous to 12 o'clock m. on the day specified.

The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

C. S. HOLLOWAY,  
Superintendent of Public Works.  
Honolulu, T. H., Nov. 29th, 1904. 7-3.

#### POSTPONEMENT OF OPENING OF TENDERS FOR PIPE, ETC., FOR HILO SEWERS.

The sealed proposals, which had previously been advertised for, to be received on the 19th of December, for furnishing 6 inch sewer pipe, slants and bends for Hilo sewers, Hilo, Hawaii, have been postponed until 12 o'clock m. of January 2nd, 1905.

C. S. HOLLOWAY,  
Superintendent of Public Works.  
Honolulu, T. H., Dec. 13, 1904. 8-3t

### Waimea Water Works, Waimea, Hawaii, T. H.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, Honolulu, until 12 o'clock m. of January 2, 1905, for constructing Intake Basin, overflow Dam, slope paving, etc., for Waimea Water Works, Waimea, Hawaii, T. H.

Plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, and G. H. Gere, Road Engineer, Hilo, Hawaii, copies of which will be furnished intending bidders on receipt of \$5.00, which sum will be returned to the bidder after he has deposited his bid and returned the plans and specifications.

Proposals must be submitted on the blank forms, which will be furnished by the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, and G. H. Gere, and enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to Hon. C. S. Holloway, Superintendent of Public Works, Honolulu, T. H., endorsed "Proposal for Building Intake Basin, Overflow Dam, Slope Paving, etc., for Waimea Water Works, Waimea, Hawaii, T. H."

Each proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties making the same and must be accompanied by a certified check, drawn upon a bank or trust company established in Hilo or Honolulu, for \$100.00, payable to C. S. Holloway, Superintendent of Public Works, as surety that if the proposal be accepted a contract will be entered into.

No proposal will be entertained unless made on the blanks furnished by the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, and G. H. Gere, and delivered at

the office of the Superintendent of Public Works previous to 12 o'clock m. on the day specified.

The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

C. S. HOLLOWAY,  
Superintendent of Public Works.  
Honolulu, T. H., Dec. 6, 1904. 7-3.

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